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Of course I am a
If you must go to

mod-est man, My coun-try is in per- il I must join the col-ors Can you
War my boy, What - ev - er will I do I will join the Red Cross So

spare me lit - tle girl, And when I'm on the fir - ing line, My thoughts will be of
I can fol - low you And in the Red Cross ser - vice I will help my coun - try

ten.

you But I must do my du - ty, By the old Red, White and Blue.
too Then we'll both do our du - ty, By the old Red, White and Blue.

CHORUS

Tempo di Valse Moderato

I am lone-some and lone-ly for you, lit-tle girl, Will you pray if I nev-er come

back ——— I am con-tent with my own reg-i-ment In the tren-ches I'll

soon have to act ——— With the rest of the boys, you will find we're not toys, We'll

charge at the word of com-mand ——— And if I must go I'll be

fac-ing the foe, And I'll die like a true A-mer-i-can.

TRY THIS OVER ON YOUR PIANO
I Wonder Why The Girl I Love Has Never Cared For Me

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CHORUS

The musical score is written for voice and piano. The key signature has one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 3/4. The score is divided into four systems, each with a vocal line on a single staff and a piano accompaniment on two staves (treble and bass clef). The lyrics are written below the vocal line. The first system begins with the word 'CHORUS' above the staff. The lyrics are: 'I won - der why the girl I love has nev - er cared for me'. The second system continues with: 'I tried my best to please her and show sin - cer - i - ty'. The third system continues with: 'I called up - on her con - stant - ly and plead - ed plain - tive - ly'. The fourth system concludes with: 'I won - der why the girl I love has nev - er cared for me.' The piano accompaniment consists of chords and moving lines in both hands, providing harmonic support for the vocal melody.

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